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Sir

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed March 13, 2002, a marked-up version of the amended claims is hereby submitted to accompany the Preliminary Amendment as filed with the application on February 26, 2001.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 925-472-5008.

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